

Brendan Kane Keohan, II, 23



Brendan Kane Keohan, a lifelong resident of Duxbury, passed away unexpectedly on Feb. 5, 2017. He was 23.

Brendan is survived by his parents, Brendan K. Keohan of Plymouth and Lisa M. Keohan of Duxbury; his brother Caleb Francis Keohan and sister Mary Rose Keohan of Duxbury; his grandparents, Russell and Madeline Small of Plymouth and Margaret A. Keohan and the late Charles J. Keohan of Plymouth. Brendan also leaves behind his devoted girlfriend, the love of his life and very best friend of many years, Samantha Carley of Duxbury. Brendan is also survived by many aunts, uncles and cousins.

Brendan was born in Boston on Nov. 6, 1993 and was baptized at St. Aidan's Church in Brookline. Brendan was a devoted son and loving brother who cared deeply for his large, extended family. He graduated from Duxbury High School in 2012 and attended Cape Cod Community College. He was an accomplished sailor at the Duxbury Bay Maritime School and was the captain of the Duxbury High School sailing team. He was also a member of Wianno Yacht Club sailing team. He successfully competed in races throughout the northeast region including the 2011 C420 North American Championship and the Buzzards Bay Regatta. Brendan was a partner with his father as the coowner of Keohan Auto Sales in Plymouth.

He will be deeply missed by his many friends for his beautiful laughter, love for music, his generous heart and his ability to always be the brightest light in every room he entered. Brendan loved the outdoors and was an accomplished snowboarder, spending many winters on the mountains of Vermont. As an avid boater, oysterman and fisherman, the ocean was part of Brendan's soul and he was happiest when on the water and on the sands of Saquish Beach.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to wickedgoodcause.org or The Keohan Family Benefit account at Rockland Trust.

Visitation hours were held on Monday, Feb. 13 at Holy Family Church at 601 Tremont St., Duxbury. A funeral service was held on Tuesday, Feb. 14, at Holy Family Church.